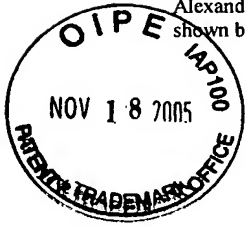


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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of)
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MAREK MATUSZ ET AL)
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Serial No. 10/816,543)
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Filed April 1, 2004)
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SILVER-CONTAINING CATALYSTS, THE)
MANUFACTURE OF SUCH SILVER-)
CONTAINING CATALYSTS, AND THE USE)
THEREOF)
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Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

In response to the Office Action dated August 9, 2005, Applicants petition for a one-month extension of time in accordance with 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Please charge the \$120.00 fee to Shell Oil Company, Deposit Account No. 19-1800. An extra copy of this Petition is enclosed for that purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

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